

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance.

DISPOSITION: February 6, 1945. The Pennsylvania Railroad Co., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond for the segregation and conversion into tankage of the unfit portion, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

8469. Adulteration of liver powder. U. S. v. 2 Cartons of Liver Powder. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 15082. Sample No. 6444-H.)

LIBEL FILED: January 25, 1945, District of New Jersey.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 25, 1944, by the Freshman Vitamin Co., from Brooklyn, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 2 50-pound cartons of dried liver powder at Newark, N. J. Examination of this merchandise showed that it contained live beetles.

LABEL, IN PART: "Freshman's Dried Liver Powder * * * From Highland Milling * * * Brooklyn, N. Y."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of live beetles.

DISPOSITION: April 2, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

NUTS AND NUT PRODUCTS

8470. Adulteration of shelled peanuts. U. S. v. 200 Bags of Shelled Peanuts. Decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 14987. Sample No. 29021-H.)

LIBEL FILED: January 17, 1945, Northern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 21, 1943, by the Suffolk Peanut Co., from Suffolk, Va.

PRODUCT: 200 115-pound bags of shelled peanuts at Stockton, Calif.

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of larvae, webbing, and insect-infested peanuts.

DISPOSITION: February 13, 1945. The L. Demartini Co. having appeared as claimant, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be brought into compliance with the law, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

8471. Adulteration of Spanish peanuts. U. S. v. 300 Bags of Spanish Peanuts. Decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 14781. Sample No. 97705-F.)

LIBEL FILED: December 16, 1944, District of Minnesota.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 21, 1944, from Durant, Okla.

PRODUCT: 300 bags, each containing 118 pounds, of shelled Spanish peanuts at Minneapolis, Minn. The product had been stored, after shipment, in the Security Warehouse Co. (Deere Warehouse), Minneapolis, Minn., but had been moved before seizure. The bags were rodent-gnawed, and rodent pellets were observed on them. Examination showed that the article contained rodent hairs, rodent excreta, and moldy peanuts.

VIOLATIONS CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of filthy and decomposed substances; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it might have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: April 30, 1945. The Pearson Candy Co., Minneapolis, Minn., having appeared as claimant, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be brought into conformity with the law, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

8472. Adulteration of unshelled peanuts. U. S. v. 33 Bags of Unshelled Peanuts. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 15155. Sample No. 22608-H.)

LIBEL FILED: January 26, 1945, Southern District of Iowa.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 8, 1943, by the Edenton Peanut Co., Edenton, N. C.

PRODUCT: 33 bags, each containing approximately 89 pounds, of unshelled peanuts at Davenport, Iowa.

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of larvae and insect-infested peanuts.

DISPOSITION: March 23, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

8473. Adulteration of peanuts. U. S. v. 29 Bags of Peanuts. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 15190. Sample No. 28509-H.)

LIBEL FILED: February 15, 1945, Western District of Washington.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 20, 1944, from Americus, Ga.

PRODUCT: 29 bags, each containing approximately 115 pounds, of peanuts at Seattle, Wash., in the possession of the Bell Street Cold Storage. This product was stored, after shipment, under insanitary conditions. Some of the bags were

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DISPOSITION: April 26, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

8474. Adulteration of peanuts in shell. U. S. v. 177 Bags of Peanuts in Shell. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 15221. Sample No. 18821-H.)

LIBEL FILED: February 7, 1945, Eastern District of Wisconsin.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 2, 1944, by the Boykins Peanut Co., from Boykins, Va.

PRODUCT: 177 90-pound bags of peanuts at Sheboygan, Wis.

LABEL, IN PART: (Bags) "Bo-CO Hand Picked Jumbo Virginia Peanuts."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy and decomposed substance by reason of the presence of insect-infested, moldy, and decomposed peanuts.

DISPOSITION: April 7, 1945. The C. A. Flipse Sons Co., Inc., Sheboygan, Wis., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be brought into compliance with the law, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

8475. Adulteration of peanut butter. U. S. v. 1,388 Cases of Peanut Butter. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. 15168. Sample No. 54689-F.)

LIBEL FILED: January 27, 1945, Middle District of Georgia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 26, 1944, by the Globe Grocery Co., from Chicago, Ill.

PRODUCT: 1,388 cases, each containing 12 1-pound, 8-ounce jars, of peanut butter at Haddock, Ga.

LABEL, IN PART: "Georgia Gold Peanut Butter."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of dirt and splinters of wood.

DISPOSITION: February 24, 1945. The Cherokee Products Co., Haddock, Ga., claimant, having admitted the adulteration of the product, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond, conditioned that it be disposed of as animal feed, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

8476. Adulteration and misbranding of peanut butter. U. S. v. 61 Cases of Peanut Butter. Default decree of condemnation. Product ordered denatured for use as animal feed. (F. D. C. No. 14700. Sample Nos. 61966-F, 61967-F.)

LIBEL FILED: December 5, 1944, Southern District of Mississippi.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 9, 1944, by the Rainer Packing Co., from Montgomery, Ala.